

I believe that if RM-10521 were passed it would interfere greatly with the US government radiolocation, endangering a vital service, as well as amateur operation in the 70cm band, especially in large cities with heavy population density such as New York or Los Angeles. Not only would it add unnecessary interference to already heavily-trafficked spectrum, but it would, in effect, be changing the regulations throughout the entire United States merely to accommodate a few visiting foreign. The drawbacks outweigh any perceived benefits, and this threat to the radio spectrum allocation was neither thoroughly considered nor examined for feasibility. In short, it is a bad idea.

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